

1 fine, sophisticated people. They got into an argument  
2 among themselves, and labor wanted the right to organize  
3 and bargain and management said, yes, you can have it,  
4 but we want the right to work.

5 Now, some of you ladies and gentlemen -- not  
6 only are there people who are not completely a hundred  
7 percent in favor of one or the other, but even labor  
8 itself is not completely, even the employees themselves  
9 are not completely in favor of this.

10 There are 17,000 members of the Maryland Classi-  
11 fied Employees Association, 7,000 members of the Municipal  
12 Employees Association of Baltimore City. Some 1700 of  
13 the Baltimore County Association.

14 I could read you what their presidents have  
15 said in these letters, which came completely unsolicited  
16 to me. Obviously, the proponents of this amendment are  
17 afraid of what those letters would say.

18 I rather think that Delegate Bothe is like a  
19 Boy Scout who is helping the old lady across the street.  
20 You can see this Boy Scout Badge. I get involved in  
21 this thing. I came across the couple. Here she was